

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Floriano, et al. Art Unit : 1631  
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INTERACTIONS

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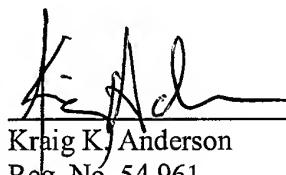
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated August 30, 2007, be extended for three months to and including February 29, 2008.

The fee in the amount of \$525 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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